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| | Improved Chemical Resistance |) | | |
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 14, 2005, please amend the
above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on p. 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of
this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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